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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Nicholas A. Schuneman, et al.

Serial No.: 10/022,753

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Group Art Unit: 2821

Examiner: Shih Chao Chen

Title: SLOT FOR DECADE BAND TAPERED SLOT

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CONFIGURING SAME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated December 30, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections of the claims and the objections to the Application in view of the following amendments thereto and/or the comments as set forth below.